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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Allen G. GOOD

Serial No.: 09/493,803

Filing Date: January 28, 2000

For: ROOT SPECIFIC, AND STRESS-  
INDUCED EXPRESSION OF TARGET  
GENES IN PLANTS (AS AMENDED)

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated January 27, 2003 for which a response was due on April 27, 2003 and for which a three-months extension of time is also requested to extend the time for response from April 27, 2003 to July 27, 2003. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.